

## RUM IN AUTOMOBILE TANKS

Havana Chauffeurs Said to Be Using It Because It Is Cheaper Than Gasoline.

A report in the Scientific American has it that the taxicabs of Havana are running on what our forefathers knew as rum—though of the denatured variety. They are using it because it is 30 per cent cheaper than gasoline, and it is the product of blackstrap molasses, which is just now a drug on the market. This by-product of cane sugar is overflowing the storage tanks; by turning it into automobile fuel, taxi rates have been cut, the minimum now being 20 cents. This cut is said to have been authorized by the mayor at the request of the cabmen themselves, who hope by this means to popularize this mode of travel.

The superabundance of blackstrap molasses has given them their opportunity, and everybody and his wife are riding in state. Jamaica, too, is planning an installation near Kingston for the conversion of rum into industrial alcohol. The first consignment to be treated would be one of 800,000 gallons, the spirits being shipped to Canada and elsewhere.

## LOCATED ON BOUNDARY LINE

Town That Is Half in the State of Vermont and Half in Province of Quebec.

There is a town called Beebe Plain, which stands half in the state of Vermont and half in the province of Quebec. The post office was built about 1880 exactly on the boundary line between the United States and Canada.

Standing in two countries, the post office belongs to the postal service of the two nations. The cellar connects the two countries. In the days not very long ago when the post office was a general store, whisky was known to be sold in one country and delivered in the other without ever having gone from under the roof of the old structure.

Standing in front of this strange post office is a large post which marks the boundary line. It is said that one time a man who wanted to get a roadway to his premises moved this post, and many thousands of dollars and no little time had to be spent to establish the exact line again.

## Causes of Climatic Change.

Tyndall was one of the first to suggest that the cause of the great changes that the climate of the earth has undergone in the past might conceivably be the formation of thin canopies of gas in the atmosphere, capable of transmitting the luminous heat of the sun, but impervious to the dark heat rays radiated back from the earth. Wheeler, seeking a new explanation of the glacial periods, suggests that such canopies could be formed by the fall of rings of matter external to the atmosphere. Being afterward resolved into belts, they might give rise to strong climatic zones, until their final disappearance by descent to the earth in the form of dust. He picturesquely suggests that primitive man saw the latest cloud belts, which gave rise to the myths of serpents twined about the earth.

## Starlight Drives Motor.

A motor driven by starlight has been invented by an American scientist, Dr. W. W. Coblentz of Washington, D. C., says the Mentor Magazine. So sensitive is the instrument, which measures heat radiation from the stars, that it will detect an electric current of one-billionth of an ampere. Or, to put it more graphically, it is possible to measure the heat given off by the most distant star by means of electricity generated by its heat. If the heat from a certain nebula composed of 105 stars, hundreds of millions of miles from the earth, were concentrated on sixty drops of water for a hundred years, the temperature of the water would be raised one degree only, Doctor Coblentz says.

## Burglars Laugh at Police.

The wildest fiction writer would not have dared to put it in a story, but Scotland Yard itself was visited by burglars the other day. The sacrosanct home of criminal justice, which no stranger can enter without being asked his business at every turn, was thought to be the one place thieves would let alone, but early morning visitors entered the lost property room within a few feet of a score or more of reserves, apparently passing right by a man patrolling outside and got away with several hundred dollars worth of valuables.

## Scandinavia's Forest Dowry.

About 59,000,000 acres, or about 50 per cent of the land of Sweden, is covered with forests. For each 100 of the inhabitants Sweden has 900 acres of forest, which is the greatest proportion in Europe, next to Finland. Great Britain and Ireland have only 7.4 acres per 100 inhabitants. Of the cereals, wheat is chiefly grown in the central and southern parts of the country; rye farther north, but in the most northerly parts barley is the staple grain.

## Keeping Ships Afloat.

Keeping ships from sinking is the ambition of C. S. Henslee of Chattanooga, Tenn., who has invented a device consisting of a string of cone-shaped cups. In case of collision one of these cups would be drawn into the hole in the hull and form a watertight cap over the aperture.

## EASILY CAPPED

An argument was in progress. Private Smart claimed that the tallest man was in his regiment, while Private White upheld his own regiment's claims.

"Why," said the first, "we've a chap in our lot who can light a cigarette from a lamp post."

"That's nothing," replied the other. "A fellow in my company's so tall that he has to kneel down when he wants to put his hands in his trousers pockets."

## An Aid to Packing.

Friend—Come home to dinner with me tonight, old chap.

Fatleigh—Does your wife know you are inviting me?

Friend—Well, not you, especially, but you see she's going away on a visit and she asked me to be sure and bring home some heavyweight to sit on her trunk.

## Speeding a Guest.

"You didn't stay long with your relatives in the city."

"No," said Uncle Jeremiah Scroggby. "I was plannin' to spend about a month doin' th' town with my nevy's folks, but when I'd been there about a week somebody put a calendar in my room with some figures on it a foot high."



## IMPARTIAL JUDGMENT

Popmore—There! What do you think of those for trippers?  
Sourbath—That one in the middle is the best. I'd keep him, if any.

## Domesticity.

There was a married couple  
Who never had a fuss,  
The woman, she went crazy,  
The man ain't worth a cuss.

## Oh, Time Turn Back!

Foreigner—That's a tartarion lie. They said the sun rises six hours later here in America than in Sweden.  
American—Well, ain't that right?  
Foreigner—How could it be? We have ter git up at the same time don't we?

## Also Gets Wrong Number.

Dowdney—People who call up on the telephone are not the only ones who get the wrong number.  
Alexander—Who are the others?  
Dowdney—A girl usually gets it when she buys a pair of shoes.

## Probably a Judge's Daughter.

She had just said yes. "I knew you would," he told her triumphantly. "I can read you like a book."  
"Well," she said with a happy smile, "kiss the book and swear to be true."

## And His Present.

Mae—I wouldn't marry that artist if I were you, dear. Why, you know nothing whatever of his past.  
June—Perhaps not, but when he's my husband I'll know something of his future.

## His Business.

"Aren't your questions rather personal? Suppose you mind your own business."

"I am doing so. I make it my business to keep informed on what other people are doing."



## NO WONDER

She: Aren't you afraid we'll fall in?

He: I've already fallen in—love.

## Ask Dad; He Knows.

Take a tip from father,  
Although it causes pain—  
Fall in love with the pretty girl,  
But marry one that's plain.

## Hard to Believe.

"I told him plainly just what I thought," she said.

"Land sakes!" her grandmother exclaimed; "how could you say such awful things to a man?"

## Persiflage.

"There goes a girl of the period."

"She brought you to a full stop, all right."

"Her name is 'Dot.'"

"Oh, comma long!"

## Obvious Question.

"A full-blooded American Indian announces that he is trying to be a 'white-washed American.'"

"Going to run for the senate?" asked Mr. Grumpson.

## The Flaw.

"There is no particular pleasure in motoring these days."

"Too many cars, eh?"

"No, too few pedestrians."

## PARAGONAH

Gene Davenport is home again.

Bp. Jones was a business visitor in Cedar last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Owens of Cedar are visiting here.

The students who were away attending school are all home for holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Y. McAllister are spending the holidays in Parowan the guests of Mrs. Nellie Clark.

Ephraim Dailey who is attending school at Provo is home for holidays.

Lorette Thornton of Parowan is here visiting her sister Mrs. Isa Barton.

Alex Robb spent a few days last week visiting in Parowan with his daughter Mrs. Martha Dalton.

Clayton Stones returned home Wednesday after spending the past month in Idaho with his sister Mrs. Mart Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones of Cedar spent a few hours here Xmas day visiting Mrs. Jones' parents Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Robinson.

## PROBATE AND GUARDIANSHIP NOTICE

For further information consult County Clerk or Respective signers.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

ESTATE OF JOSHUA A. ARTHUR, DECEASED.

Creditors will present claims with vouchers to the undersigned at his residence or through the mails at Cedar City, Iron County, Utah, on or before April 15th, 1923.

ROBERT ARTHUR, Administrator with the Will Annexed.

SHAY AND LUNT, Attorneys for Administrator. First Dec. 15, 1922, last Jan. 5, 1923

## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

(Publisher)  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Salt Lake City, Utah, November 24, 1922.

Notice is hereby given that Harriet A. Wilson, for the Heirs of Stephen L. Wilson, (deceased), residing at 1722 Vallejo Street, San Francisco, California, who, on October 8, 1919, made Homestead entry, No. 024921, for NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 30, Township 33 South, Range 17 West, Sale Lake Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the United States Commissioner, at Modena, Utah, on the 10th day of January, 1923.

Claimant names as witnesses: Joseph Yocmans, of Beryl, Utah, Ern P. Randall, of Utana, Utah, Frank G. Webster, of Utana, Utah, and Bert Davis, of Beryl, Utah.

GOULD B. BLAKELY, Register. (First Dec. 1. Last Dec. 29, 1922)

## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

(Publisher)  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Salt Lake City, Utah, December 12, 1922.

Notice is hereby given that Frederick Swann of Beryl, Utah, who on April 5, 1921, made Homestead entry, No. 029246, for NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 19, Township 34 South, Range 16 West, Salt Lake Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before a U. S. Commissioner, at Modena, Utah, on the 25th day of January, 1923.

Claimant names as witnesses: Orville Bruce, Louis Elsworth Endicott, John Grincil, and Rossitor, all of Beryl, Utah.

GOULD B. BLAKELY, Register. First Dec. 15—Last Jan. 12, 1923

NOTICE—United States Land Office, Salt Lake City, Utah, December 7, 1922. To whom it may concern: Notice is hereby given that the State of Utah has filed in this office lists of lands, selected by the said State, under section 6 of the Act of Congress, approved July 16, 1894, as Indemnity School lands, viz: Serial No. 026296, SW $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 22, N $\frac{1}{2}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , SE $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , NE $\frac{1}{4}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , N $\frac{1}{2}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 27, Township 39 South, Range 10 West, Salt Lake Meridian. Copies of said lists, so far as they relate to said tracts by descriptive subdivisions, have been conspicuously posted in this office for inspection by any person interested and by the public generally. During the period of publication of

this notice, or any time thereafter, and before final approval and certification, under departmental regulations of April 25, 1907, protests or contests against the claim of the State to any of the tracts or subdivisions hereinbefore, described on the ground that the same is more valuable for mineral than for agricultural purposes, will be received and noted for report to the General Land Office at Washington, D. C. Failure so to protest or contest within the time specified, will be considered sufficient evidence of non-mineral character of the tracts and the selections thereof, being otherwise free from objection, will be approved to the State. GOULD B. BLAKELY, Register. First Dec. 15—Last Jan. 12, 1923.

## NOTICE OF SALE

IN THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF UTAH, COUNTY OF IRON. In the matter of the Estate of Jasper M. Sweeney. Deceased.

NOTICE. The undersigned will sell at private sale the following described real estate with improvements and appurtenances, situated in Iron County, State of Utah, to-wit:

The west half of Section 34, Township 33 South, Range 16 West, Salt Lake Meridian, in Iron County, State of Utah, containing 320 acres with improvements and appurtenances.

On or after Thursday, January 11, 1923, and written bids will be received at the office of Shay & Lunt, Cedar City, Utah, or through the mails addressed to said office; terms of sale, cash, ten per cent of bid payable at time of sale and balance upon confirmation of sales by the Court. Dated, December 12, 1922.

FLORENCE M. SWEENEY, Administratrix.

SHAY & LUNT, Attorneys for administratrix. First Dec. 22, 1922, last Jan. 19, 1923

## SUMMONS NOTICE.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF IRON COUNTY, STATE OF UTAH.

Anita G. Davis, Plaintiff, vs. William D. Davis, Defendant. SUMMONS

The State of Utah to the Defendant:

You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons upon you, if served within the county in which this action is brought; otherwise within thirty days after service, and defend the above entitled action; and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint, which has been filed with the clerk of said court. This action is brought to recover a judgment dissolving the marriage contract heretofore existing between you and the plaintiff.

J. M. FOSTER, Attorney for Plaintiff. First Dec. 22, 1922, last Jan. 19, 1923.

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## RANDALL L. JONES

Architect.

Office in Sheep Store Bldg.

Cedar City, Utah.



The Standard of Comparison

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